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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Inventor(s) : Hideo FURUKAWA
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 7, 2006

Dear Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are in response to the Official action mailed October 13, 2005. The Official action set forth a three-month period for response, and a petition for a one-month extension of time is attached hereto, making this response due on or before February 13, 2006.

Claim amendments begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.